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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/965,313
Title: *NOVEL IL-9/IL-2 RECEPTOR-LIKE MOLECULES AND USES THEREFOR*
Inventor(s): Martin R. Hodge
Filed: September 26, 2001
Attorney Docket No.: MPI1999-016CP1CN1(M)

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith for filing in the above-identified application the following:

1. Transmittal Letter (in duplicate) ;
2. Request for Correction of Filing Receipt (in duplicate); and
3. A copy of the Official Filing Receipt with correction; and
4. Return postcard.

Please charge any necessary fees to our Deposit Account No. 501668. The undersigned requests any extensions of time necessary to respond. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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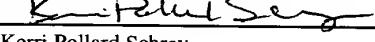
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

I. This replies to the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS mailed November 15, 2001.

A copy of the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS is enclosed.

COMPLETION OF INFORMALITIES

II.

To complete the informalities noted on the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS, applicant submits herewith:

(check (a), (b) and/or (c) as applicable)

- (a) a new Declaration, bearing the above application number and filing date, in compliance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.63, and showing the post office address and the city and state or foreign country of applicant's residence
- (b) new drawings complying with the size requirements – 8 sheets of Formal Drawings (Figures 1A-1B, 2, 3A-3B, 4, 5A-5D, 6A-6C)
- (c) new pages 6, 7, 13, 14, and 77, which are clear enough to be microfilmed *and* a Statement that New Pages Contain the Same Material as on Deposit (see Preliminary Amendment filed herewith).

EXTENSION OF TIME

III.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920.00	\$ 460.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$ 1,440.00	\$ 720.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$ 1,960.00	\$ 980.00

Fee \$0 _____

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

An extension for 0 months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ 0 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ 0

or

(b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

ADDITIONAL PAPERS ENCLOSED

IV.

- a. Transmittal Letter for Request for Corrected Filing Receipt (1 page) (in duplicate);
- b. Request for Correction of Filing Receipt (1 page) (in duplicate);
- c. Copy of Filing Receipt with corrections noted;
- d. Preliminary Amendment (7 pages);
- e. Transmittal of Information Disclosure Statement (1 page) (in duplicate);
- f. Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages);
- g. Forms PTO/SB/08A and 08B (2 pages); and
- h. Return Postcard.

FEES PAYMENT

V.

[] Attached is a check in the sum of \$

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[] the sum of \$ 0 for the fee due.

[X] for any fee which may be due (see conditional petition above)

A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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